

## INDIANA NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE

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**Conservation Activity Plan (CAP)** 

## **FOREST MANAGEMENT**

A forest management conservation activity plan is a sitespecific strategy to help a landowner manage forest lands while protecting wildlife habitat and soil, water, air, and plant quality.

NRCS Technical Service Providers (TSPs) prepare these plans using inputs such as:

- Analyses of past management activities
- Existing and planned forest resource conditions including soil, water, site index, stand quality and health, and stocking level.

Conservation practices recommended in such a plan can include:

- Forest stand improvement
- Tree/Shrub establishment
- Forest slash treatment
- **Firebreaks**
- Prescribed burning
- Riparian forest buffers

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